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Patent: 6,411,517 Issued: 06-25-2002

Title: CIRCUIT CARD INSERTION AND REMOVAL SYSTEM

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED ENTITY STATUS AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

We received a notice from the Patent Office that the small entity maintenance fee was applied for US patent 6411517. However, International Business Machines Corporation (a large entity) is the assignee for this patent. We request that the status of 6411517 be changed from a small entity to a large entity.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

The itemization of the deficiency payment as required by 37 CFR §1.28(c)(2) is set forth below.

	SE Fee Paid	Current LE Fee	Deficiency		
US Maintenance Fee 8th Yr	\$1,240.00	\$2,480.00	\$1,240500		6411517
				99 1248.88 DA	
		Total Deficiency	\$1,240.00		

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Applicant believes a payment in the amount of \$1,240.00 is due with this response. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 09-0450. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0450.

Respectfully submitted,

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